PUBLIC DAILY LEDGER

MAYSVILLE REPUBLICAN.

SIXTH YEAR. MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1897. ONE CENT.

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LARGEST IN THE CITY.

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

HECHINGER & CO.'S

FALL STYLES

Are Shown in Scores of Handsome New Cuts!

Weavers' wits were never more versatile in producing attractive loom effects. Skill in wholesale tailoring has made marvelous progress in recent years. No better evidence is needed than a critical inspection of ready-to-wear Clothing made for them. There is a nicety of detail, a carefulness of finish, a symmetry of cut that denotes master minds and master hands. This not only has reference to their Clothing, but also to their other different departments. Nowhere will you see so handsome a display of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, fine Shirts, Hats, Collars and Ties as Hechinger & Co. show.

Have You Looked at Their Stock of Smith & Stoughton

-:- SHOES?

Recognizing the needs of their patrons, Hechinger & Co. arranged with Messrs. Smith & Stoughton, one of the most prominent manufacturers of fine Men's Shoes in the country, to sell their goods. See their window display of them and you will not wonder that although but thirty days elapsed since the first shipment arrived they are already doing the Men's Fine Shoe business of the town.

HECHINGER & CO.

LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

BLUE

White streamer—FAIR:
Blue—RAIN OR SNOW:
With *Black* ABOVE—'twill WARMER grow.
If *Black's* BENEATH—COLDER 'twill be:
Unless *Black's* shown—no change we'll see

☞ The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

HERE AND THERE

☞ If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Miss Bertie Robinson is the guest of Miss Gabriella Durrett in the county.

Hon. John P. McCartney of Flemingsburg was in the city yesterday en route to Cincinnati.

Miss Emma Schrieber of Portsmouth is visiting Miss Katherine Cablish of Forest avenue

Mr. Allen A. Edmonds, the Printer, was in Cincinnati yesterday looking for novelties belonging to the Art Preservative.

Mr. Andrew M. January arrived home last night from Flemingsburg, where he had been attending the Powell-Andrews nuptials.

H. T. Clinkinbeard, High Grade exclusive Merchant Tailoring.

Wallpaper, 1c. per piece.
J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

Mrs. George Jordan died at Tollesboro Tuesday after a protracted illness with consumption.

Miss Mamie E. Gore was nominated by the Republicans of Nicholas county for School Superintendent.

Assistant Adjutant General Forrester will investigate the prison chair factory contract on his own account.

Major B G. Thomas, the noted Lexington breeder of thoroughbreds, is to retire on account of ill health.

Mr Lake Martin of this county and Miss Mary Allen of Carlisle were married at the Grand Hotel in Cincinnati Tuesday.

Wyandotte Tribe No. 3, I. O. R. M., will meet this evening at 7:30 at the Wigwam in Cox Building. A full attendance is desired

Elder F. M. Tinder of Mayslick will preach in the Christian Church at Carlisle Sunday morning and night. Elder Morrison will fill the pulpit at Mayslick.

Constable H. T. Gore of Vanceburg passed up the C. and O. yesterday with an alleged horsethief named David James, whom he had brought from Warren county, O.

Mr. John Duley, Attorney in-fact for Mrs. Martha J. Collins the Executrix, elsewhere gives notice to all persons having claims against or who are indebted to the estate of the late H. H. Collins.

Auditor Stone has made the official announcement that he has selected his son, Will Stone, now in the Auditor's office, to succeed D. N. Comingore as Insurance Commissioner, the appointment to take effect when Comingore's resignation is handed in.

CONTINGENT.

Lots of thrifty men there are
Who won't wear overcoats
Until they've harvested and sold
Their autumn crop of votes.

☞ *If you have an item of news, please call up* THE LEDGER, *Telephone 33, and send it in.*

☞ **All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.**

Mrs. John Dunn has been quite ill with fever for a few days.

Mr. Frank Armstrong is still confined to his home with malarial fever.

Teeth extracted without pain. Dr. J. W. Cartmell, over Harry Taylor's. 'Phone 60.

Use Ray's Eliteine for chapped hands and rough skin. At Postoffice Drugstore.

The next meeting of the Presbytery of Ebenezer will be held at Elizaville in May.

About 300 Preachers applied for the one vacant Chaplaincy in the United States Army.

H. J. Frederick has purchased a house and lot on the Fleming pike from Mrs. Louis Traxel for $500.

Another demand will be made by the United States on Spain for the payment of the Tolon claim of $50,000.

Victor Herbert's Twenty-second Regiment Band at Washington Opera-house Tuesday afternoon, October 26th. Don't forget it.

Inspector Lester is now at work on the report of the investigation of the Frankfort Penitentiary. It will be the next report filed with the Governor.

Sister Gonzaga, the oldest Sister of Charity in the United States, died at Philadelphia. She had been at the head of the St. Joseph Society for fifty years.

Col. Albert E. Boone is preparing plans to lay before Congress for the building of two bridges across the Ohio, one at Vevay and one at Dover, to cost $2,400,000.

Murphy the Jeweler carries the largest stock of Diamonds and Gold Watches to be found in the city. His prices are the lowest. If you want firstclass goods call on him.

The Richmond. Nicholasville, Irvine and Beattyville Railroad was sold publicly at Versailles, by order of the United States Court under foreclosure proceedings, for $301,000.

'Squire William N. Howe of the First Magisterial District has rendered his bill to the county, and for the same period it is $100 less than that presented by and paid to his predecessor.

The Bourbon Fiscal Court paid $800 for two miles of the Newtown and Leesburg pike and removed the last tollgate in Bourbon county. Bourbon now has 278 miles of free pikes.

Mr. John Ruggles and Miss Mary E. Helphistine, a handsome young lady, both of Fleming county, were married at the County Clerk's office this morning by the Rev. F. W. Harrop of the M. E. Church.

The gross earnings of the L. and N. for the first week of October were $433,130, a decrease of $4,995 compared with 1896, of $3,145 from 1895, an increase of $12,010 over 1894, of $81,355 over 1893, and a loss of $6,630 from 1892.

The Railroad Commissioners meet at Frankfort next week to begin the annual assessment of railroad property. The tour of inspection of the railroads, bridges, etc., to be assessed by the board has been completed.

One of the most valuable properties in Maysville is offered for sale privately, to close the estate of the late H. H. Collins. For particulars see advertisement of Mr. John Duley, Attorney-in-fact for the Executrix, which appears elsewhere in THE LEDGER This is an opportunity seldom offered.

GOES TO NEWPORT.

Judge A. A. Wadsworth of This City Summoned to Campbell County.

Sheriff J. C. Jefferson this morning received a summons from the Campbell Circuit Court, requesting the presence of Police Judge Wadsworth before the Grand Jury that is now investigating the cases of the gang charged with the recent assault on Mrs. Thomas Gleason.

The papers were served on the Judge and he left at 8:50 this morning for Newport.

Mrs. Ben P. McClanahan and Mrs. George Schwartz, who represented Friendship Lodge of this city at the Rebekah State Convention, will remain in Owensboro until the adjournment of the Grand Lodge.

CHANGE OF VENUE.

Colonel W. W. Baldwin Removes Turnpike Cases From Nicholas to Kenton.

On Tuesday the case of the Maysville and Lexington Turnpike Company against Nicholas County and the Fiscal Court of Nicholas County for damages for the alleged destruction of its property, tollgates, &c., was taken to Kenton county on a change of venue and will be tried in the Circuit Court of that county.

TRANSFER SUSTAINED.

Gooding Divorce Case Will Be Tried in the Kenton Circuit Court.

The Court of Appeals on Tuesday affirmed the decision of Circuit Judge Perkins in the divorce case of Mrs. Mattie Gooding against Addison P. Gooding of this county.

The suit was first instituted in Mason county, and the plaintiff, having recently removed to Kenton county, had the case transferred there for trial.

Mr. Gooding claimed that the Court there had no right to try the case, but Judge Perkins decided that it had, and the Court of Appeals has sustained him.

The Court made an order allowing the plaintiff $40 per month alimony pending litigation, and the case is now ready to be tried on its merits.

The defendant is an ex-member of the Kentucky Legislature, and one of the best known residents of the Mayslick neighborhood.

ONE VOTE WON.

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky Reduces the Fee For Membership to $15.

For several years there has been an effort on the part of many Kentucky Oddfellows to reduce the fees for membership.

The Lodges in this city have uniformly opposed the measure, and it may be said that the zeal of their Representatives has on more than one occasion defeated it.

Tuesday, however, the amendment to the Constitution reducing the fee from $25 to $15 was brought up at the Owensboro meeting, and after a lengthy discussion it was adopted by a vote of 133 to 65.

This is just one vote over the necessary two-thirds.

The fees for Initiation and the three Degrees will hereafter be $15.

Yellow Jack Killed.

Cascarets, Candy Cathartic kills Yellow Jack wherever they find him. No one who takes Cascarets regularly and systematically is in danger from the dreadful disease. Cascarets kill Yellow fever germs in the bowels and prevent new ones from breeding. 10c., 25c., 50c. All druggists.

WHAT IT INDICATES.

Nothing so interferes with one's plans or ambition like sickness or poor health. Have you ever thought that your kidneys may be the cause of your sickness? You can easily find out by setting aside your urine for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unheathly condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

It is a source of comfort to know that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is the great remedy for all kidney and bladder compalints. It relieves pain, stitch or dull aching in the back, difficult or painful urination, frequent desire to urinate, scalding or pain in passing it, and quickly overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. Its action is gentle, yet immediate, the relief speedy and the cures permanent. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention THE PUBLIC LEDGER and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

Wedding Presents.

We are now on the threshold of the great wedding season. It is now that almost daily our attention is called by a dainty invitation to the fact that some of our friends are to be married. Each invitation means a present. Have you put your thoughts on the subject? If not, follow us a few minutes. There are in our store hundreds of articles absolutely correct for wedding presents and with prices ranging from one dollar or so up to hundreds of dollars. As thought directs us let us suggest

Watches, Silverware, Clocks, Onyx Tables, Lamps, Cut Glass, Bricabrac, Carving Sets, Pearl Handle Knives, Silver Toilet Sets, Bronzes, Spoons, Forks, Berry Dishes, Ice Cream Sets, Game Sets, &c.

From the great assembly here of handsome articles, suitable for wedding presents, you'll be able to select just the article you have in mind.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

All popular brands of Flour for sale by M. C. Russell & Son.

HOME RULE.

An Amendment Allowing Cities to Regulate Their Own Taxes.

Every person should vote "Yes" on the following proposed amendment to the Constitution.

Its adoption will give cities the right to regulate their own taxing affairs, and enable them to provide money for internal improvements.

The proposed amendment is as follows, and THE LEDGER shows how it will appear on the ballot, and where the voter ought to put his X mark:

The General Assembly may, by general laws, provide for taxation by municipalities of property other than lands and improvements thereon, based on income, licenses or franchises, which may be either in addition to or in lieu of ad valorem taxes thereon.	YES ..	X
	No	

"HOUSEKEEPERS."

According to Judge Richie of Louisville Are Married Men.

Louisville Post.

County Judge Charles G. Richie this morning notified Secretary Charles Merriwether, of the City and County Democratic Executive Committee, that there was a provision in the election laws which required that every election officer be a housekeeper, and that he had been informed that this provision had been overlooked by both the Republican and Democratic Committees in making out the lists forwarded to him.

When seen about the matter this morning Judge Richie said that his attention had been called to the fact that a number of unmarried men were serving as election officers.

He said that this provision of the law had been overlooked for some time, and that he had looked the matter up and had found that the law was mandatory on the subject, and that every election officer has to be a housekeeper. Judge Richie said that will no doubt cause many changes in the lists and will create much confusion, but, as it is the law, there is nothing left for him to do but enforce it.

M. C. Russell & Son sell Daisy Patent Flour.

Pickett, Respess & Co., Fire and Tobacco Insurance.

Printers, like other people, have to eat—sometimes. That is, if they can get the material. But they can't get the material without money—unless someone gives it to them. Now, if you owe this Printer, he will gladly accept a few country hams, a bushel or two of potatoes,—or most any old thing that comes from the farm—and will give full credit at market prices. See?

Dollar Wheat.

Always—if treated with pure Blue Stone. Chenoweth, the Druggist, sells it.

Bargains in Fine Goods.

Owing to the death of Mr. George W Rogers, the surviving partners of the firm of G. W. Rogers & Co. desire to close up the business.

To this end they are making specially reduced prices on all fine brands of Whiskies:

18-year old $6 Whisky at $5;
12-year-old $5 Whisky at $4;
8-year-old $4 Whisky at $3 50;
6-year-old $3 Whisky at $2 50.

All Cash L. ROSER.

LUCKY THIRTEEN.

For Thirteen Years the State Had Wealth and Nobody Knew It.

It has been discovered at Frankfort that the state has for thirteen years owned over $4,000 worth of shares, and the controlling stock, in a turnpike Company that is run and supposed to belong to a private individual.

There was found in an old desk drawer in the Auditor's office a certificate, dated in 1884, and signed by the officers of the Lebanon and Bradfordsville Turnpike Company, certifying that the state of Kentucky had become the purchaser and owner of ninety-five shares of the stock of the Company, valued at $50 a share.

MISSES' and CHILDREN'S

Chocolate

HIGH SHOES.

J. HENRY PECOR.

THE BEE HIVE.

Attractions THIS WEEK!

500 Fancy Millinery Ornaments, (last season's goods,) wings, birds, Aigrettes, &c., some worth up to 25c. and 35c., choice 3c. each; 228 pieces all linen Torchon Insertion, 1½ to 2½ inches wide, worth 10c. yard, choice 2c. yard; 800 dozen Child's Fast Black Ribbed Hose, regular 10c. quality, choice 4c. pair; Good Toilet Soap, 4c. box, 3 large cakes in a box; Child's all-silk Cap, lined, Ruching Edge, 19c. each; well-made Calico Wrappers, Indigo Blue, &c., 59c. each; Boys' warm Camel Hair Shirts and Drawers 19c.; Coque Feather Boas, 1½ yards long, 48c. each; Child's all-wool Saxony Yarn Mitts, 7c. pair; same in ladies' size 9c. pair; best quality all-wool Eiderdown, 10 colors, this week 22½c. a yard.

Rosenau Bros. KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

P. S.—We are still selling large size Bed Blankets 49c. pair, heavy Sheeting Cotton 3½c. yard, best Turkey Red, silver gray Calicoes 3½c. yard and large Moreen Petticoats 59c.

FRIDAY'S Cash Sales!

RAINBOW CORSETS We have an entirely new corset to show you today. It's glove fitting and comfort bringing. It's a corset of which we are proud. Its special feature is the transverse stitching running around the body instead of perpendicular, as is usual. It actually fits at first wearing. You don't have to "break it in." It's made of heavy coutil with each whale bone, back, waist and abdomen stayed with figured sateen. Extra front steel, top of corset lace edged. It was not made to sell for 39c., but that's the price we've marked it for Friday.

RUGS Some more carpet samples for the housekeepers who want some genuinely good floor coverings for a little money. Yard and yard and quarter lengths of 3 ply strictly all-wool Lowell carpets for 25c. They'll cover the bare spot at the door, before the stand or dresser and give double the wear a cheap rug twice the price would do. They are all in neat designs and pretty colors, and they are bargains, decided bargains. Harvest is not always in the field. A little cash here today will reap a rich reward.

CLOAKS A great assortment of new and distinctive effects, in many instances only one garment of a kind, the character of which as regards style and fit warrants us to declare them ahead of anything in the market. When you've looked through other stocks, see ours before you buy.

D. HUNT & SON.

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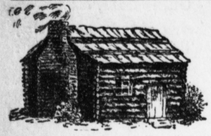

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Election Tuesday, November 2d.

Clerk Court of Appeals.
Hon. JAMES G. BAILEY
of Magoffin.

Circuit Judge.
WILLIAM G. DEARING
of Fleming.

Commonwealth's Attorney.
EDWARD DAUM
of Bracken.

Representative.
JOHN Y. RICE.

Circuit Clerk.
HAMLET C. SHARP.

County Judge.
MORRIS C. HUTCHINS.

County Clerk.
WILLIAM D. COCHRAN.

County Attorney.
GEORGE W. ADAIR.

Sheriff.
GEORGE H. OWENS.

Assessor.
R. G. BULLOCK.

Superintendent of Schools.
Miss MARY P. CHAMBERS.

Jailor.
JOHN JOHNSON.

Coroner.
O. E. COLLINS.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

First District—William N. Howe.
Second District—Jacob Miller.
Eighth District—W. H. Hook.

KENTUCKY REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

Adopted at Louisville, Aug. 10th, 1897.

Resolved, by the Republican party in Convention assembled—

First—That we reaffirm the principles of the Republican party as set forth in the platform adopted by it at St. Louis in 1896.

Second—That we indorse the Republican National and State Administrations, and especially commend the action of our present state officials in their efforts to suppress mob violence and to preserve the financial credit of the state.

Third—We commend the action of the representatives of the Republican party in the passage of a Tariff Bill which will raise revenue sufficient to support the Government, prevent the issue of interest-bearing bonds, protect American labor and maintain the National credit.

Fourth—We are opposed to a system of Civil Service that builds up an official class with practically a life tenure in almost all branches of the public service, and we demand that the Civil Service Law be modified so as to limit the terms of service to four years, with the privilege of reappointment or promotion, subject to such restrictions as will secure competent officials and give to every section of the country it s proper proportion of them.

Fifth—We heartily sympathize with the struggling people of Cuba in their efforts to secure liberty and independence.

Sixth—That we recommend to the people the adoption of the Constitutional amendment submitted by the last Legislature, allowing all cities and towns the privilege of regulating under legislative supervision the method of levying the taxes they impose on themselves for city and town expenses.

Seventh—We favor the passage of a law that will protect the laborers of Kentucky from the competition of convict labor, and if necessary to accomplish said result, an amendment to the Constitution permitting such legislation.

"The best way to get rid of a bad law is to enforce it."—General Grant.

Therefore THE LEDGER favors the rigid enforcement of the Civil Service Law.

THE following shows a comparison of leading farm products and prices on July 7th, 1896, and July 7th, 1897:

	July 7th, 1897. Closing.	July 7th, 1896. Closing.
Wheat—		
July	$ 70½	$ 55½
September	68⅝	56⅝
Corn—		
July	26¾	26⅝
September	27¾	27⅛
Oats—		
July	17½	15½
September	18⅝	15⅝
Mess Pork—		
July	7 70	6 67½
September	7 77½	6 80
Lard—		
July	4 05	3 75
September	4 12½	3 85
Short Ribs Sides—		
July	4 37½	3 60
September	4 45	3 72½

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Ex-Chief Justice William H. Holt will speak for the Republican ticket as follows:
Augusta, Thursday, October 21st, 1 p. m.
Vanceburg, Friday, October 22d, 1 p. m.
Hon. John W. Yerkes will speak in Maysville on Tuesday, October 26th, at 1 p. m.
Everybody invited.
Front seats will be reserved for the ladies.

THE LEDGER urges every Republican to vote for every man on the Republican ticket this fall. It is a good ticket "from eend to eend," and it deserves a hearty support.

FORMER Governor BOIES of Iowa in a letter says the Chicago platform has had its day; but some of the other boys are waiting till the whole brickyard falls on them.

JUDGE FRENCH TIPTON, for twenty-five years a Democratic Editor and politician at Richmond, registered as a Republican Tuesday. Lovers of real Democracy have no place else to go.

INFLUX of taxes is relieving the State Treasury, and $124,000 worth of old warrants are to be paid by November 5th. This Republican Administration will get the Democratic deficit out of the way if you'll give it a little time.

AT Berne, Switzerland, the National Council, by a vote of 101 to 9, has adopted a bill making insurance against sickness compulsory in the case of all persons not having independent means. Why not import this good Swiss idea; there's no Dingley Tariff on it. What a sum of pauperism it would save.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY is a long ways from a political corpse; for despite the combined forces of the Democrats and other Devils in Southern Kentucky his brother-in-law, Judge MORROW, has been renominated for Circuit Judge in the Twenty-eighth District by a majority of some six hundred. "Rise up, WILLIAM BRADLEY!"

Yellow Fever Germs.
breed in the bowels. Kill them and you are safe from the awful disease. Cascarets destroy the germs throughout the system and make it impossible for new ones to form. Cascarets are the only reliable safe-guard for young and old against Yellow Jack. 10c., 25c., 50c. All druggists

Did it Ever

occur to you that a Printer who sends you a paper 312 days in the year would like to have his pay on just one of those days?

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Hiram H. Collins are requested to file same with me within the next thirty days, verified as required by law; and all indebted to the estate will please settle promptly.

JOHN DULEY,
Attorney-in-fact for Mrs. Martha J. Collins, Executrix Hiram H. Collins.
October 14th, 1897.

For Sale!

I offer for sale, privately, the well established lumber business of the Collins & Rudy Lumber Co., including

Planing-Mill, Sawmill and Office

and as much ground as the purchaser may desire. Also, stock of lumber, or such quantity as purchaser may wish. Easy terms. Call on or address JOHN DULEY,
Attorney-in-fact for Mrs. Martha J. Collins, Executrix Hiram H. Collins.
October 14th, 1897.

Advertising Resumption

Means business resumption.......It is wise to start early......It is wiser never to stop......
If it pays to keep your front doors open, it must pay to keep your name before the readers of THE LEDGER—they are your customers.....

LOUIS H. LANDMAN, M.D.
OPTICIAN,
No. 411 West Ninth street, Cincinnati, O., will be at the Central Hotel, Maysville Ky., on Thursday, Nov. 4th, 1897, returning every first Thursday in each month. Glasses adjusted to all persons of defective vision at popular prices.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

RACING TOURISTS.

National Circuit Closes at Louisville—Nat Butler Carried Off the Honors.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 14.—Wednesday night closed the engagement in Louisville of the national circuit of racing tourists. It was most decidedly Nat Butler's day. He succeeded in lowering the record for a mile in a handicap race by three and two-fifths seconds; he won the two mile open race and ran second in the half-mile race, all in three starts. He accomplished the record feat of one mile in 2:00 1-5 in the second professional event, which was a one mile handicap. Among those who qualified out of 39 starters for the final of this event were Hadfield, of New Jersey; Con Baker, of Ohio; Aker, of Philadelphia; Watson Coleman, of Boston; Seaton, of Louisville, and Fred C. Hoyt, of Cambridge, Mass.

The men rode like fiends from the start. Coming into the stretch they all seemed to redouble their efforts, and in the hottest kind of a finish Nat Butler flashed across the tape, closely followed by Fred Hoyt, who only beat out Seaton by the shortest of margins for third place.

Among the amateurs, Middendorf, of Louisville, succeeded in defeating Peabody, of Chicago.

FEVER SCARE.

A Sick Man, Put Off a Train at Mayfield, Ky., Nearly Causes a Riot.

MAYFIELD, Ky., Oct. 14.—An unknown man trying to make his way from Memphis to Louisville was put off a train here Wednesday. He was later found lying near the cemetery unconscious. He was taken to the poorhouse and revived, only to rave about yellow fever. A panic ensued and he was at once removed to a rude stable. Soon a mob of armed men charged upon the stable with the intention of burning it and the sufferer to prevent the spread of supposed yellow fever. The owner of the stable, with leveled revolvers, warded off the mob, and the sick man was visited by physicians who found he was undergoing chills and malarial fever.

FIVE OF A FAMILY

Are Dead From Typhoid Fever and Four Others Are Down With It.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky., Oct. 14.—The home of William Cox has been terribly devastated. A year ago his son Levi died of typhoid fever, and in August last his son Henry was also fatally stricken. Last Sunday a week his wife (the mother) died, and on the next Tuesday Mrs. John Leathers, a daughter, followed her in death, Mrs. Speed Brown, another daughter, having died three weeks previous. This makes five deaths in the immediate family from typhoid fever. Now another daughter, who lives in Washington county, a son-in-law at Seaville, and two grandsons, in this county, are down with the same disease.

The Prisoners Brought Back.

NEWPORT, Ky., Oct. 14.—Sheriff Plummer and his five deputies arrived in Newport at 8 a. m. Wednesday from Maysville with the 11 men who had been taken to the jail of Mason county, Kentucky, for fear that a mob might avenge the assault by the 12 men on Mrs. Thomas Gleason a week ago. The men were brought back in order that they may be within the county during the investigation of the assault by the grand jury, which convened Wednesday.

Last Tollgate Torn Down.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky., Oct. 14.—The fiscal court has closed a deal with the owners of the eight miles of turnpike from Murphe. on the Kentucky river, to the old state road near town, whereby it becomes the property of the county. This frees every mile of pike in the county, and the last tollgate will be removed at once. A system to keep the roads in repair has already been inaugurated and gives promise of proving very successful.

Frankfort After Factories.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 14.—The Frankfort business men organized a commercial club Wednesday night, the main object of which is to raise money and donate a lot and building and give five years' exemption from taxation to any manufacturer who will establish his plant here. Dr. E. E. Hume was made temporary chairman.

Killed by His Own Purchase.

ELIZABETHTOWN, Ky., Oct. 14.—Prof. Wm. T. Pate Wednesday bought a drill and was driving home on it. Just as he got in sight of his house his horses took fright and threw him from the seat of the drill, which turned over on him, killing him instantly.

Held Up by Highwaymen.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 14.—Geo. Halsey, who lives near Cleveland, this county, was assaulted by three men while returning home and robbed of all his money and several packages of goods he had bought. The robbers escaped.

Shot From Ambush.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Oct. 14.—Joe Gibson, a farmer, living on the Virginia side of the mountains, was shot from ambush Wednesday afternoon, near his home near Gibson station. He will die. Particulars are meager.

State Railroad Commission.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 14.—The state railroad commission will meet in this city next Tuesday to begin its annual assessment.

Diphtheria in Bell County.

PINEVILLE, Ky., Oct. 14.—Diphtheria is reported prevalent in this county, and there is considerable excitement.

A Strike at Hecla Mines.

EARLINGTON, Ky., Oct. 14.—The miners of the Hecla Coal Co. are out on a strike. They claim unjust weight.

Kentucky Odd Fellows Meet.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Oct. 14.—The grand lodge of Odd Fellows is in session in this city.

LUMP JAW.

The Disease Has Appeared Among Cattle in Manitoba.

Importation of Cattle Into the United States Will Be Stopped.

M. Maertens, Distinguished Russian Jurist, An Authority on International Law, Selected as Umpire in the British-Venezuela Boundary Question.

Lumpy Jawed Cattle.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The department of state has been informed by the United States consul, M. M. Duffie, at Winnipeg that there has appeared among cattle in that section a disease known as "actinomycocis" commonly called "lump jaw" which has been placed on the list of infectious or contagious diseases by the department of agriculture of Manitoba. He further states that a large number of poor, cheap cattle are being shipped to the United States for grazing purposes and advises cattlemen, on the frontier, to look out for the disease and that the importation of cattle be immediately stopped.

The British-Venezuela Boundary Dispute.

The international court of arbitration, which is to pass on the British-Venezuela boundary, has been completed by the selection of M. Maertens, a distinguished Russian jurist, as umpire, and arrangements are being made for the assembling of the court at Paris during the late summer or fall of next year. In the meantime the briefs of great Britain and of Venezuela are being prepared, but none of the papers have yet been submitted. M. Maertens will act not only as umpire, but also as president of the court.

The announcement that a European umpire had been chosen was made in these dispatches some time since, but the name had been withheld until the sanction of the czar could be secured for M. Maertens' service as arbitrator. Great Britain and Venezuela each submitted a list of distinguished jurists who would be acceptable to it as umpire. These embraced the most noted men of Europe, but it is a tribute to M. Maertens that his was the only one on the lists of both countries.

M. Maerten's reputation as an authority on international law is worldwide and has led to his frequent selection as arbitrator and umpire in international differences. He is an official of the Russian foreign office, professor of international law at the University of St. Petersburg and author of Maerten's Treaties, the standard book of reference on all the treaties of the world. Little doubt is felt as to his acceptance.

Prof. Maertens was one of the delegates named by the Russian government to represent it at the approaching conference to be held in this city to consider the conditions of seal life in the North Pacific. It is understood that his selection as the fifth arbitrator and head of the commission makes it impossible for him to participate in the Washington conference, so that the Russian interests in the meeting probably will remain in the care of Mr. Botkine and the two delegates who will sit with him.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—The ninth statistical report of the interstate commerce commission for the year ended June 30, 1896, gives interesting information concerning the mileage, equipment, number of employes, capitalization and valuation, accidents and earnings and expenses of railways in the United States for the year named. One hundred and fifty-one roads, representing 30,475 miles of operated mileage, were in the hands of receivers on June 30, 1896, a decrease of 18 from the previous year. The capital stock represented by the railways controlled by receivers was $742,597,698 and the funded debt was $999,783,766. The total railway mileage on June 30, 1896, was 182,776, an increase of 2,119 for the year, Georgia showing the largest increase, viz. 233 miles. The number of locomotives in service was 35,950 and of cars of all classes 1,297,649, an increase of 251 locomotives and 27 (88 cars. Of the total cars and locomotives 448,854 were fitted with train brakes and 545,583 with automatic couplers. The number of freight locomotives fitted with automatic couplers was 3,373, out of a total of 20,351, and the cars in freight service fitted with train brakes was 379,058, out of a total of 1,221,887. An interesting feature of the report is a summary showing the amount of compensation paid to the railway employes of the United States, who aggregated 826,620. Their aggregate compensation amounted to over 60 per cent. of the total operating expenses of all railways, a slight decrease from the preceding year. Much data on the capitalization and valuation of railway property is contained in the report. The amount of railway capital was $10,566,865,771, which was assigned on a mileage basis, shows a capital of $59,610 per mile of line, and if current liabilities be included as part of the capital, $63,068 per mile of line. The amount of capital stock was $5,226,527,269, of which $969,956,692 was preferred. A fraction of over 70 per cent. of the capital stock paid no dividends. The total dividends amounted to $87,603,371. Passengers carried during the year numbered 511,772,737, an increase of over 4,000,000 compared with the previous year, which, however, showed a decrease of 33,266,837, as compared with 1894.

A New Territory in Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Special correspondence of the Call from Alaska brought by the revenue cutter Thomas Corwin Wednesday night, via St. Michaels, conveys the news that it is proposed to establish a new territory to be known as Lincoln, out of the northwestern portion of Alaska. Its boundaries have not yet been fully decided upon, but it will include the Yukon river country and extend north to the Arctic ocean.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

DISTRICT AND COUNTY OFFICES.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

Hon. WILLIAM G. DEARING of Fleming county is the Republican candidate for Circuit Judge of the Nineteenth Judicial District, to be voted for on Tuesday, November 2d, 1897.

MUNICIPAL OFFICES.

Announcements under this heading Three Dollars—invariably in advance.

FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce DUKE A. RUDY as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897, subject to the will of the people. Your support and influence respectfully solicited.

We are authorized to announce W. E. STALLCUP as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce W. C. SADLER as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce J. L. DAULTON as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election, subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce M. B. STRODE as a candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing November election, subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce BEN T. COX as a candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing November election, subject to the will of the people.

POLICE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce J. D. ROE as a candidate for Police Judge of the city of Maysville, and he earnestly solicits the support of all the voters of the city.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE P. BEASLEY as a candidate for Police Judge of the city of Maysville at the coming November election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. CHAMBERLAIN as a candidate for Judge of the Police Court of the City of Maysville.

We are authorized to announce A. A. WADSWORTH as a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Police Court of the City of Maysville.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE T. HUNTER as a candidate for Judge of the Police Court of the City of Maysville at the coming election in November.

CHIEF OF POLICE.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. DONALDSON as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville.

We are authorized to announce W. A. STOCKDALE as a candidate for Chief of Police of the city of Maysville, to be voted for at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce M. J. DONOVAN as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce D. P. ORT as a candidate for re-election as Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce T. S. McDONALD as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT N. HUFF as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce JAMES HASSON, Sr., as a candidate for Chief of Police at the November election, 1897.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. OLDHAM as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce SIMON M. CROWELL as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce JAMES STEWART as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce JAMES W. FITZGERALD as a candidate for re-election as City Treasurer at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce HORATIO FICKLIN as a candidate for Collector and Treasurer at the November election, 1897

COUNCILMEN.

Second Ward.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE H. HEISER as a candidate for re-election to the Board of Council from the Second Ward at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES BURGESS PEARCE, Jr., as a candidate for re-election to the Board of Council from the Second Ward at the November election, 1897.

Fourth Ward.

We are authorized to announce Dr. THOMAS H. N. SMITH as a candidate for re-election to the Board of Council from the Fourth Ward at the November election, 1897.

Fifth Ward.

We are authorized to announce GODFREY HUNSICKER as a candidate for election to the Board of Council from the Fifth Ward at the November election, 1897.

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WANTED—A good white girl to do general housework for a family of two. Apply at 324 Limestone street. oct8 tf

WANTED—$600; firstclass real estate as security. Apply to CURRAN & COX, Masonic Temple Building. sep18 1w

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FOR RENT—A good stable. Apply to E. A. ROBINSON. sep21 1w*

LOST

LOST—Bunch of Keys, between Sutton street and C. and O. Depot. Finder will please leave at this office. oct12 1w

LOST—A lady's black cloth cape on streetcar at Lexington street. Please leave at this office. oct8 1w

LOST—Bunch of Keys. Return to this office. sep28 1w

LOST—Sunday, between Washington and this city, lady's bracelet. Liberal reward if returned to this office. oct4 1w

STOLEN—Dark Bay Horse, blind in right eye; taken from stable September 16th. Send information as to whereabouts to Mrs. W. L. SHERWOOD, Maysville. sep30 1w

LOST—Child's Sack. Finder please return to this office. sep25 1w

CITY DIRECTORY

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor	William H. Cox
Police Judge	A. A. Wadsworth
City Clerk	Charles E. Brosee
Collector and Treasurer	J. W. Fitzgerald
Chief of Police	Douglas P. Ort
Assessor	A. N. Huff
Wood and Coal Inspector	J. Banks Durrett
Wharfmaster	C. M. Phister
City Prosecutor	John L. Chamberlain
City Physician	Dr. Samuel Harover
City Undertaker	M. F. Coughlin
Keeper Almshouse	Mrs. John Payne

CITY COUNCIL.

Meets First Thursday Evening in Each Month.

William H. Cox, President.

MEMBERS.

First Ward.	*Fourth Ward.*
R. R. Frost, John Dersch.	H. L. Newell, T. H. N. Smith.
Second Ward.	*Fifth Ward.*
C. B. Pearce, Jr., George H. Heiser.	George W. Crowell, W. E. Stallcup.
Third Ward.	*Sixth Ward.*
L. C. Blatterman, John Eitel.	Fred Dressel, M. C. Hutchison.

The Councilmen are elected to serve two years.

MASONIC LODGES.

Confidence Lodge No. 52—Meets first Monday night in each month.

Mason Lodge No. 342—Meets second Monday night in each month.

Maysville Chapter No. 9—Meets third Monday night in each month.

Maysville Commandery No. 10—Meets fourth Monday night in each month.

ODDFELLOWS.

DeKalb Lodge No. 12—Meets every Tuesday night.

Ringgold Lodge No. 27—Meets every Wednesday night.

Pisgah Encampment No. 9—Meets second and fourth Mondays in every month.

Canton Maysville No. 2—Meets third Monday night in each month.

Friendship Lodge No. 42, D. of R.—Meets second and fourth Fridays in each month.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Limestone Lodge No. 36—Meets every Friday night.

Maysville Division No. 6 U. R.—Meets first Tuesday in every month.

I. O. R. M.

Meets every Thursday night in the K. of P. Hall.

JR. O. U. A. M.

John V. Keech Council No. 16—Meets every Monday night.

P. O. S. A.

Washington Camp No. 3—Meets every Wednesday night.

G. A. R.

Joseph Heiser Post No. 13—Meets first and third Saturdays in each month.

M. C. Hutchins Camp No. 2, S. of V.—Meets first and third Wednesday's of the month.

Woman's Relief Corps—Meets second and fourth Saturdays in each month.

K. OF H.

Maysville Lodge No. 2778.—Meets first and third Tuesdays in each month.

A. O. U. W.

Mason Lodge No. 20—Meets second and fourth Fridays.

Maysville Lodge No. 75—Meets every Wednesday night.

S. OF T.

Fidelity Division, S. of T., meets every Monday night in G. A. R. Hall.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

St. Patrick's Benevolent Society—Meets every second Sunday.

Sodality of the B. V. M.—Meets every Sunday.

Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society—Meets first Sunday in each month.

Ancient Order of Hibernians—Meets first Monday night in each month.

Knights of St John—Meets every Tuesday night

German Relief Society—Meets first Monday night in each month.

COLORED SOCIETIES.

MASONIC.

Acacia Lodge No. 24, F. A. M.—Meets second Wednesday night in each month.

Mt. Hermon Chapter No. 8, R. A. M.—Meets second Friday in each month.

Palestine Cammandery No. 6, K. T.—Meets fourth Friday in each month.

G. U. O. O. F.

Maysville Star Lodge No. 1948.—Meets first and third Friday night in each month.

Household of Ruth No. 37.—Meets second Thursday night in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE TABERNACLE.

Congo River Tabernacle No. 80.—Meets first Thursday in each month.

DAUGHTERS OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN.

Evans Lodge No. 9.—Meets first Wednesday night in each month.

U. B. F.

Good Will Lodge No. 46.—Meets first Saturday and third Wednesday night in each month.

Young's Temple No. 44.—Meets first Monday night in each month.

G. A. R.

McKinnevan Post No. 166.—Meets third Saturday night in each month.

Woman's Relief Corps No. 28.—Meets first Tuesday in each month.

COURT DIRECTORY

MASON COUNTY COURT.

Meets Second Monday in Each Month.

M. C. Hutchins, Presiding Judge	Maysville
George W. Adair, County Attorney	Maysville
William D. Cochran, Clerk	Maysville
J. C. Jefferson, Sheriff	Maysville
Sam P. Perine } Deputies	Maysville
J. R. Roberson } Deputies	Mayslick
John Johnson, Jailer	Maysville
John D. Roe, Coroner	Maysville
J. D. Dye, Assessor	Maysville
G. W. Blatterman, School Sup't	Maysville

[Quarterly Court meets Tuesday after the second Monday in January, April, July and October, and has civil jurisdiction to the amount of $200.]

CIRCUIT COURT.

Hon. J. P. Harbeson, Judge	Flemingsburg
J. H. Sallee, Commonwealth Att'y	Maysville
Isaac M. Woodward, Clerk	Maysville
J. N. Kehoe, Master Commissioner	Maysville

—Courts Meet—

Mason—At Maysville first Monday in February and June and third Monday in November.

Fleming—At Flemingsburg first Monday in January, Tuesday after fourth Monday in April and third Monday in September.

Greenup—At Greenup first Monday in April, third Monday in July and first Monday in November.

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NINE DEAD.

A New Orleans Record Breaker in the Number of Fatalities.

Thirty-One New Cases of Yellow Fever Reported by Health Officers.

Concealment, Neglect and Rebellion Against the Authority of the Board of Health Makes it Difficult for Physicians to Give Proper Attention to Cases.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 14.—Wednesday was the record smasher in the number of deaths in a single day from yellow fever since the sickness was first reported in New Orleans. It is difficult to find the cause except in the fact that concealment, neglect and rebellion against the authority of the board of health have made it difficult for the physicians to give proper attention to cases. At 7 o'clock Wednesday evening there had been nine fatalities reported during the 24 hours. Heretofore the highest number of deaths in any one day has been six.

At the board of health Wednesday night there was some discussion among the gathered physicians as to whether the disease had assumed suddenly a more virulent form or whether an aggregation of circumstances had sent up the list of deaths. Prominent doctors say they do not believe the disease has become more malignant in type. They believe that the fact that on some days there has been four or five deaths, on succeeding days no deaths, and then four or five again, goes to prove that the fever has been as eccentric before as it is now.

Among the deaths reported some are of the better class of people. Edward C. Ray, aged 16, lived with his mother, who kept a fashionable boarding house on Peytonia street. Another death was that of Antonio Corvajo, the agent of a steamship line running between this port and Palermo. He was a native of Italy and since the fever appeared has been active among his countrymen. On the 10th of the month Dr. Formenti was called in to see him. He had then been sick for three days. He died Wednesday morning. Two deaths occurred Wednesday in the Touro infirmary. The cases had not originated in the institution, but had been removed thither from other places in the city. A death was also reported in the Isolation hospital. One of the deaths in Wednesday's record occurred about 10 o'clock Tuesday night, after the close of Tuesday's bulletin. The others were reported at different hours Wednesday.

The board of health officially reports: Cases of yellow fever Wednesday, 31; deaths Wednesday, 9; total cases of yellow fever to date, 685; total deaths from yellow fever to date, 77; total cases absolutely recovered, 305; total cases under treatment, 303.

MOBILE, Ala., Oct. 14.—Seven new cases in the city proper and six brought into the city from Magazine Point, three miles out, make up the record of Wednesday. Eight recoveries are reported; no deaths for the past 72 hours.

Total cases to date, 142; deaths, 20; recoveries, 80; remaining under treatment, 42.

Sugar Beet Industry in Colorado.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 14.—Plans contemplating the investment of from $500,000 to $1,000,000 by eastern capitalists in sugar factories and refineries have been consummated here and an agreement has been signed by 100 farmers pledging themselves to the cultivation of 1,000 acres of sugar beets for the purpose of supplying the material to these factories and refineries with which to carry on the industry. It is expected that a sugar refining business amounting to a million and a half will be established in this state.

A Fortune Lost.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Somewhere between Omaha and Denver a package containing $14,000has been lost. The money was sent by registered package by a bank in Chicago to a financial institution in the west. Inspector Stuart can trace the money westward from Chicago only as far as Omaha. At that point all records of the fortune are lost.

Ex-Senator Robertson Dead.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 14.—Ex-United States Senator Robertson died in this city Wednesday. He was senator from South Carolina under the reconstruction regime and was succeeded by ex-Senator Butler. Mr. Robertson had been paralyzed for years. His estate is estimated to be worth nearly a million dollars.

Nine Prisoners Escape.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 14.—Advices just received from Brunswick at two o'clock Thursday morning, report that nine desperate prisoners escaped from Glynn county jail at midnight at that place. Within thirty minutes their escape was detected and a squad of bloodhounds was on their trail.

The Atkinson Jury Failed to Agree.

GLENVILLE, W. Va., Oct. 14.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Gov. Atkinson, charged with forgery, failed to agree—seven for acquittal and five for conviction. There will be a new trial unless the court should grant a possible request from the prosecuting attorney for a nolle prosequi.

Train Robbers' Heavy Sentence.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 14.—Geo. Jackson and Charles Williams, who held up Oregon Railway and Navagation train seven miles from this city two weeks ago, have been sentenced to 30 years each in the penitentiary by Judge Sears.

Senator Tillman Better.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 14.—Senator Tillman's condition is more favorable. He is still quite sick, but there is no immediate danger of serious results.

Shipload of Salmon.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 14.—The German ship Kehrewelder has cleared for Liverpool with 54,500 cases of canned salmon valued at $272,355.

MAYOR HARRISON

Will Not Permit Twenty Round Boxing Contests in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Promoters of 20-round boxing contests will have to pull off their shows in some other place than Chicago if Mayor Harrison adheres to his present policy, and local people will not be able to see Maher, Sharkey, "Kid" Lavigne and other pugilistic stars this winter. The mayor's views on the question of boxing in Chicago were provoked by an advertisement of a 20-round glove contest between Griffo and Garrard at Tattersall's a week from Saturday next. "Twenty-round contests will be tabooed, eight rounds under strict police regulations being the limit to which these contests may be carried," says the mayor. "I will not grant a permit for a twenty-round boxing contest, as it savors too strongly of a prize fight, and prize fighting could not be tolerated. I see no harm, however, in short boxing matches conducted under the supervision of the police."

SOLAR PLEXUS BLOW.

A Sixteen-Year-Old Boy Killed by Being Struck Over the Heart by a Companion.

LANSING, Mich., Oct. 14.—Fitzsimmons' famous solar plexus blow was the cause of a death at the state industrial school for boys Wednesday. While playing, John Carson, 16 years old, drew a long breath and asked one of his dormitory mates to strike him in the chest. He was accommodated, but wanted more and requested Frank Martin, an inmate from Albion, to strike him.

Martin responded with a back-hand blow over the heart and Carson dropped dead in his tracks. The institution physician says the blow produced paralysis. Martin, who is but 14 years old, is held blameless, inasmuch as the blow was struck in sport.

Frank Phiscator's Good Luck.

DETROIT, Oct. 14.—A special to the Tribune from Benton Harbor, Mich., says: "Frank Phiscator, the man who brought back several bags of gold dust from the Klondike, has been negotiating with an English syndicate for the sale of a two-thirds interest in his property. He wanted $1,333,000 for it, and it is alleged that Wednesday he received a telegram from London stating that his offer had been accepted. He expects that the deal will be closed as soon as representatives of the syndicate can arrive in this city."

Shot Her Lover and Herself.

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Wednesday night 19-year-old Florence Gleason fired a bullet into the brain of her lover, John Peters, and then turned the weapon against her temple. The bullet entered her brain, killing her instantly. Peters was removed to the Alexian Brothers' hospital, where doctors say he will die. The shooting was the outcome of a lovers' quarrel some months ago, it is said, since which Miss Gleason has been jealous of Peters' attention to other young women.

Followed His Sweetheart.

TORRINGTON, Ct., Oct. 14.—The body of Herman Fincher, 21 years old, was found in the woods Wednesday. He had committed suicide by shooting. On the body was found a photograph of Martha Trepiow, his sweetheart, who committed suicide a few months ago by taking carbolic acid, and also a clipping from a local paper describing her funeral. Miss Trepiow killed herself because her parents objected to her contemplated marriage to Fincher.

Operators and Miners' Conference.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Oct. 14.—A conference between the miners and five of the Kanawha coal operators was held at Montgomery Wednesday, when an effort was made to adjust their differences. Another conference will be held Thursday. President Ratchford, who is at Montgomery, stated over the telephone Wednesday that he was confident the trouble between operators and their men would be adjusted Thursday.

After Train Robbers.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Oct. 14.—Inspector Houck, of the post office department, has been notified that the men who recently held up and robbed a Rock Island train, are in hiding about twenty miles from Tulsa, I. T. Houck and other officers left Tulsa Wednesday for the scene and thinks he will succeed in capturing the desperadoes. The inspector has ascertained the identity of the men implicated in the robbery.

Death of S. W. Venable.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 14.—S. W. Venable, of the S. W. Venable Tobacco Co., of Petersburg, died in that city Wednesday night in the 73rd year of his age. He was a native of Prince Edward's county, was prominent in the democratic politics of the state, and his name was before the democratic convention in 1889 for the gubernatorial nomination.

Wants American Missionaries Withdrawn.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from Constantinople says: The sultan is making strenuous efforts to obtain the withdrawal of American missionaries from the interior of Asia Minor. If his efforts should be successful, the policy of exterminating the Armenians could be accomplished without European witnesses.

President Raymond Inaugurated.

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 14.—Dr. Jerome H. Raymond, the newly elected president of the West Virginia university at Morgantown, was inaugurated Wednesday, and the occasion was probably the most notable in the history of the institution.

Prominent Detroit Man Missing.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 14.—Thomas Coffeey, manager of the Detroit office of the Vermont Marble Co., has been missing since October 3, and his family and friends have become anxious about him. So far as known there is no shortage in his accounts.

Pugilist Cummings Dead.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 14.—Cummings, one of the principals in Tuesday night's prize fight, died at 4:15 Wednesday morning. Griffin, the opponent of Cummings, has been placed under arrest.

MISS CISNEROS

Steps Upon the Soil of Free America at New York.

The Cuban Beauty Suffered Considerably From Sea-Sickness.

Her Escape From a Cuban Prison and Arrival on the Seneca One of the Most Daring Feats Ever Attempted and Successfully Carried Out.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Evangelina Cossio Y. Cisneros, who recently escaped from a Spanish prison in Cuba, was a passenger on the Ward line steamer Seneca, which arrived Wednesday from Havana. At quarantine Miss Cisneros asked to be excused from saying anything about her imprisonment and escape, as she has not yet recovered from sea sickness, from which she had suffered during her entire passage, and which kept her in her stateroom during the whole voyage. On the passenger list she was registered as Miss Juana Sola. She was traveling under the care of a gentleman who accompanied her from Havana. When the Seneca reached quarantine the towboat J. Fred Lohman, with several newspaper representatives and four women, went alongside the steamer, and after the health officer's inspection was over they went on board and accompanied Miss Cisneros to this city.

EVANGELINA COSSIO-CISNEROS.

Miss Cisneros' escape and safe arrival on the Seneca was one of the most daring feats ever attempted and successfully carried out.

While she was still in prison her friends secured a passport for one Juan Sola and stateroom No. 3 on the Seneca was held in the same name. This was three days before the boat sailed. On the Saturday, when the Seneca was to leave Havana, detectives watched her gangways with extra caution. All day long they remained at their post, examing the passports which all passengers have to show before leaving Havana. Their vigilance would probably have prevented the departure of Miss Cisneros from Cuba, had it not been for a little refreshment which was served on them by friends of Miss Cisneros, who were aboard the Seneca. The refreshment included wine. The chief of police of Havava came aboard while the refreshment part of the plot was in progress, and it is alleged that he, too, fell a victim to the wiles of the Cisneros faction.

A few minutes before the Seneca was ready to pull out from her dock a slim young fellow came running across the wharf. He had no baggage and was fashionably dressed. He walked quickly up the gang-plank. The detectives stopped him. "My name is Juan Sola," he said, and he showed his passport. Everything was satisfactory, so the senor was allowed to go aboard. It is said that if it had not been for the wine the strange and rather curious figure of Senor Sola might have excited the suspicions of the Spanish detectives. But the scheme worked successfully. Miss Cisneros' friends, when they saw that everything was satisfactory, disembarked and watched the ship pull slowly out under the frowning Spanish gun, carrying the fugitive to safety under the stars and stripes.

Miss Cisneros did not court danger any more than was necessary and at once went to her cabin. The next day, however, when Morro Castle was left far behind, she appeared on deck, transformed into Senorita Juana Sola, alias Cossio Y Cisneros, and dressed in a becoming red gown.

Capt. Stevens said that to the best of his knowledge the only persons who went aboard at Havana were the Lastie family, the Del Real family, eight Chinamen and a man whose name appeared upon the advance passenger list as Juan Sola and who must have had a passport, otherwise he could not have gone aboard. When it was discovered that "Juan Sola" was a girl the "Juan" was changed to "Juana," and Miss Cisneros came in under that name.

Miss Cisneros was given some articles of feminine wearing apparel by the stewardess of the Seneca.

A. C. Stewart, an Englishman who embarked at Tampico and who speaks Spanish, said that he sat opposite Miss Cisneros at the table during the voyage, and that when she saw the Cape Hatteras light she fell upon her knees on the deck and prayed devoutly. Mr. Stewart says he found the rescued Cuban a most pleasant companion. She had her hair pinned up in a coil, worn under a sombrero, when she embarked disguised as a ranchman.

The General Arbitration Treaty.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Daily News says Thursday morning: "There is a good prospect of the speedy conclusion of a general arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States. We have reason to believe that President McKinley will propose a clause in the treaty providing that before any subject is finally referred to the court of arbitration such reference shall be approved by the queen on one hand and by the American senate on the other. It is expected that such a proviso will induce the senate to ratify the treaty, and it is improbable that any objection will be raised on this side."

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Adelina Patti, the famous singer, is ill in Paris. Her sickness is not believed to be dangerous.

Judge Wells, of the Kansas court of appeals, has rendered a decision which several lawyers declare practically renders the eight-hour law in Kansas a dead letter.

The Madrid newspapers allege that Senor Moret. the minister of the colonies, has decided to offer the chief political and administrative posts in Cuba to Cubans.

The first post office appointment made in Alaska for a long time, at Dyea, a fourth-class office, was announced Wednesday. Clara H. Richards was the appointee.

Charles Burgess, who murdered Henry V. Whitlock, of North Victory, N. Y., on August 6, 1895, was Wednesday resentenced to be electrocuted in Auburn prison during the week commencing November 22.

A dispatch to the London Times from Pretoria says that President Kruger in the Volksraad Wednesday suggested that the time is now ripe to raise a loan of several millions for the construction of railways in the Transvaal.

Wm. Daniel, one of the leaders of the prohibition party in the United States, and its candidate for the vice-presidency in 1884, died suddenly Wednesday morning at his home in Mount Washington, a suburb of Baltimore.

The secretary of war has approved the map of location and plans of a new superstructure to be constructed by the city of Appleton, Wis., on its bridge over the United States Fox river canal at Lake street, Appleton, Wis.

The schooner Fannie Arthur, which went ashore on Warsaw beach Sunday, was pumped out and pulled off Wednesday and towed to the Savannah quarantine station. She has a cargo of molasses from New Orleans to Port Royal, S. C.

A dispatch received in Stockholm from Ahus, province of Schonen, announces that 22 houses and 16 other buildings there have been burned. Many of the inhabitants lost all their possessions through the fire and one person was burned to death.

The official returns just issued show that the French imports for the third quarter of 1897 have increased 39,035,000 francs over the same period of 1896, and the returns also show that the exports of France have increased 212,427,000 francs over the same peoriod of last year.

Adm. Brin, the minister of marine, has decided upon the experiment of mobilizing the whole of the naval forces of Italy along the Mediterranean within 48 hours of the issuance of the order of mobilization. The experiment will be made about the middle of next month.

Much speculation has been excited by the fact that Adm. Knorr, commander-in-chief of the Imperial navy, after an interview with Emperor William, has gone on a long leave of absence, Adm. Koster, of the Baltic station, replacing him. It is rumored that this means the retirement of Adm. Knorr.

Beginning Sunday October 31, a new steamship service will be inaugurated from Portland, Ore., to Yokohama and Kobe, Japan, and Shanghai and Hong Kong, China. The line will be run in connection with the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co. Three steamships will constitute the service—the Bræmer, the Mogul and the Pelican.

Benjamin F. Hunt, a former resident of Rochester, N. Y., now in his 88th year, is about to wed Mrs. Julia A. Sherman, of Watertown, whose age is given as 90 years. The event is set down for the 20th inst. Mr. Hunt resides in Boston with one of his sons. The bride-elect is said to be possessed of a fortune of more than $1,000,000.

John Armstrong Chanler, the divorced husband of Amelia Rives, and great grandson of John Jacob Astor, is reported to be insane in the Bloomingdale asylum. Mr. Chanler left the city suddenly last spring, and it was said by his friends that he had gone to Europe. The fact has leaked out that he is in Bloomingdale, under treatment.

Forecast for Thursday.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair and warmer Thursday; southeasterly winds.

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair and warmer Thursday; probably showers by Friday morning; increasing southerly winds.

Indiana—Thursday fair, with warm southerly winds; cooler by Friday morning.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 13.

FLOUR—Spring fancy, $4.70@4.90; spring family, $4.10@4.30; spring patent, $5.15@5.50; winter patent, $4.75@5.15; fancy, $4.25@4.50; family, $3.50@3.75; extra, $3.00@3.25; low grade, $2.50@2.75; rye, northwestern, $3.00@3.15; do city, $3.00@3.15.

WHEAT—Sales: No. 2 red, nominal, at 92@93c.

CORN—Sales: No. 2 white mixed, switched, 29c; No. 2 mixed, track, 28c.

OATS—Sales: No. 3 white, track, 21c; do choice, 22c; No. 3 mixed, light color, track, 20½c.

HOGS—Select shippers, $4.00@4.05; select butchers, $4.00@4.05; fair to good packes, $3.85@4.00; fair to good light, $3.85@4.05; common and roughs, $3.00@3.75.

CATTLE—Fair to good shippers', $4.10@4.75; good to choice butchers', $4.00@4.50; fair to medium butchers', $3.00@3.85; common, $2.25@2.85.

SHEEP—Extras, $3.60@3.75; good to choice, $3.00@3.50; common to fair, $2.25@2.85. Lambs—Extras, $5.15@5.25; good to choice, $4.75@5.10; common to fair, $3.25@4.65.

VEAL CALVES—Fair to good light, $5.50@6.50; extra, $6.75; common and large, $3.50@[illegible].

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.

WHEAT—October, 90c; December, 91⅝c; [illegible], 88⅝c; January, 90⅝c; May, 89⅝c.

CORN—October, 26¼c; December, 27⅝@28c; May, 31⅜@31⅝c.

OATS—October, 18⅝c; December, 19⅛c; May, 21⅝@21¾c.

RYE—Cash, 45c; December, 46¾@47c; May, 49c

BARLEY—Cash, No. 3, 25@42c.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 13.

CATTLE—Prime, $4.60@4.90; common, [illegible] 3.75; bulls, stags and cows, $2.00@3.60.

HOGS—Prime medium weights, $4.25@4.30; prime light hogs, $4.15@4.20; best Yorkers, $4.15@4.20; pigs, $4.00@4.10; heavy hogs, $4.15@4.20; roughs, $2.75@3.75.

SHEEP—Choice sheep, $4.10@4.20; common, $2.75@3.25; choice lambs, $5.00@5.20; common to good, $4.00@4.90.

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	No 2.....1:15 p.*
	No. 18...5:25 p. m.†
	No. 20...7:50 p. m.†
	No. 4...10:46 p. m.*
West	No. 19...5:30 a. m.†
	No. 1.....6:10 a. m.*
	No. 17...8:50 a. m.*
	No. 3....8:35 p. m.*
	No. 15...4:35 p. m.†

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* 6:35 pm	s Wash., Balt., Phila. and N. Y., with dining car, Royal Blue Flyer	* 8:00 am
† 7:20 am	Parkersburg, Marietta and way stations	† 2:35 pm
* 9:30 pm	Parkersburg, and way stations	
† 2:00 pm	Hillsboro Express	* 7:30 pm
† 3:30 pm	Chillicothe & Hillsboro Ex.	†10:15 am
* 8:00 am	p Colum., Zan., Wheeling, Pitts. and San. Day Ex.	* 5:45 pm
* 7:30 pm	s Colum., Zan., Wheeling and Pitts Night Express	* 7:30 am
* 3:30 am	Cincinnati and Columbus Early Morning Express	* 7:30 am
† 2 00 pm	Colum., Zan. and Wheeling Fast Express	* 7:30 pm
....	Colum., Newark, Zan. and Cambridge Express	†12:25 pm
† 5:15 pm	Blanchester and Intermediate points	† 8:30 am

MISSISSIPPI DIVISION—TRAINS WEST.

Leave.	Trains.	Arrive.
* 9:00 am	s St. Louis Limited, direct connections for all points West	* 5:50 pm
* 8:15 pm	s St. Louis and Louisville Night Express	* 7:20 am
* 3:30 am	s St. Louis Special	*11:30 am
† 6:40 am	St. Louis and Int. Stations	† 7:05 pm
* 8:15 pm	Beardstown, Springfield & Pana, Ill	† 5:50 pm * 7:20 am
† 9:00 am	Pana, Springfield, Beardstown & Shawneetown, Ill	* 7:20 am
† 4:30 pm	Mitchell & Int. Stations	† 9:50 am
† 4:30 pm	North Vernon & Int. Sta	† 9:50 am
* 3:30 am	Louisville, New Albany & Jeffersonville	* 6:05 pm * 6:40 am
* 8:25 am	p Lou., N. Alb. & Madison.	*11:55 am
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8:00	4:30	[illegible]rgetown.. "	10:40	6:30
8:40	5:10	Ar ...Paris.....Lv	9:20	5:30
......	6:30	Lv ...Paris.....Ar	7:47	3:30
......	8:25	...Maysville. "	5:52	1:30

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Clev., N. Y. and Bos...	*[illegible]	*5:15 p.m.
Clev., Buff. and N. Y..	[illegible]	d6:45 a.m.
Colum. and Springfield	*[illegible] p.m.	*9:30 a.m.
Columbus Accommoda.	d[illegible] a.m.	d9:55 p.m.
Day. and Springfield...	d[illegible]:15 p.m.	*2:10 p.m.
Middletown	d[illegible] p.m.	*7:50 [illegible]

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	d8:30 p.m.	d6:10 p.m.
		*11:10 p.m.
Indianapolis..........	*3:00 p.m.	*3:15 p.m.

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OCCURRING AT ORANGEBURG.

What The Ledger's Correspondent Record From That Pleasant Vicinity.

Ed Garrett and wife were here Monday evening.

Dr. Gaines was in Fleming on business Friday and Saturday.

Pastor Jones delivered an excellent address here Sunday morning.

Mrs. Taylor says she likes her new home very well in the tollgate house.

Miss Nannie Kennan, our very efficient assistant teacher, is a little indisposed this week.

Miss Nannie Tolle went home Tuesday from here, where she has spent several days very pleasantly.

M. B. Tolle, L. M. Collis, M. W. Beckett, D. G. Wilson and R. R. Gaines were in Maysville Tuesday.

J. W. S. Kager bought a cart from Jerry Thorne for $1 50. He and his wife go to Lawrence county soon.

PETERSVILLE POINTERS.

The Ledger Correspondent at That Point Sends a Batch of Good Items.

Miss Cora Lykins was in Flemingsburg Saturday.

Trig and William Selsor with their families were visiting here Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Lucas and daughter Ada of Wallingford were visiting relatives here last week.

T. M. Bowman with his guest Mr. Roby McCall of Vanceburg were calling here Sunday.

Mr. Joe Tully, a drummer for all kinds of tobacco and cigars, was calling on our merchants Monday.

—Miss Minnie Harry, representing W. W. Thomas of Cincinnati, was calling on our business men last Saturday.

The Trustees of District No. 41 gave Mr. Degman a vacation last week so that they could repair the schoolhouse.

Messrs. Heber Million and William McRoberts with Miss Taylor and Miss Clark, all of Foxport, were driving in our village Sunday.

Mr. James Upton and Miss Ocie Botkin and also Misses Minnie and Sarah Lykins attended Church and visited friends on Mudlick Sunday.

Our Baseball Club defeated the Grassy Club last Saturday, score 13 to 12. The features of the game were the batting by Dick Armstrong, throwing by Dick Jesse, fielding by Dick Sparks, catching by Dick Harrison and base stealing by Dick Jones.

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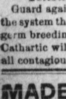

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THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW.

Statements Showing Cost to Government of the Mugwump Humbug.

Washington (D. C.) Times.

Through a more or less esteemed evening contemporary of The Times the officials of the Civil Service Commission have attempted to correct so-called exaggerated statements regarding the cost of Civil Service examinations.

As they have taken exception to the assertion that the average cost to the Government was $214 for each appointment, I quote from their statement as follows: "In 1896 the average cost of persons appointed was $22 79 Such examinations as the one held to supply the place of Supervising Architect of the Treasury, for instance, would cost fifty times as much as an examination to supply a number of people to a minor grade. The examination itself is more expensive, and in one case the whole cost is chargeable to one appointment, while in the other it is divided among a large number of appointments."

Admitting the correctness of the above, we ascertain that the exact cost of the examination held recently to fill the position of Supervising Architect of the Treasury was $1,139 50. The people have cause to thank God that each appointment has not averaged that sum, although that may be the expense per appointee in the future until Congress is compelled to repeal or modify the un-American system; for if all the positions under the Government should be so selected and as expensive it would cost the people $113,950,000, which does not include the frequent and farcical and doubly expensive examinations for promotions, where employes are required to work on examination papers instead of attending to their official duties.

In order to give the public a few facts in reference to this subject I have prepared a table showing, for all branches of the classified service, the number examined and the number appointed from July 16th, 1883, to July 1st, 1896, which is as follows:

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND PERIOD COVERED.	Examined.	Appointed.	Cost.
Departmental Service—July 16th, 1883, to July 30th, 1896	41,110	5,794	
Railway Mail Service—May 1st 1889, to June 30th, 1896	32,578	6,795	
Indian Service—October 13th, 1891, to June 30th, 1896	2,370	526	
Customs Service—July 16th, 1883, to June 30th, 1896	32,054	3,824	$702,630 51
Internal Revenue Service—May 7th, 1895, to June 30th, 1896	2,055	116	
Postal Service—July 16th, 1883, to June 30th, 1895	137,975	31,189	
Government Printing Service—June 13th, 1895, to June 30th, 1896	1,502	177	
Totals	249,644	48,421	$702,630 51

Table showing, by consecutive fiscal years, for all branches of the classified service, the number examined, the number appointed and the yearly expense to the people, from June 30th, 1883, to June 30th, 1898:

DATE.	Examined.	Appointed.	Yearly Expense.
Fiscal year ending June 30th, 1883	......	......	$ 12,814 80
" " " 1884	3,542	489	22,300 00
" " " 1885	6,347	1,800	26,140 00
" " " 1886	7,602	1,881	27,900 00
" " " 1887	15,852	4,442	31,584 85
" " " 1888	11,281	2,616	29,800 00
" " " 1889	19,060	3,781	34,941 38
" " " 1890	22,994	5,182	35,050 00
" " " 1891	19,074	5,305	41,469 18
" " " 1892	19,460	3,961	41,650 00
" " " 1893	24,838	4,291	41,650 00
" " " 1894	37,349	4,704	42,400 00
" " " 1895	31,066	4,793	92,824 39
" " " 1896	31,179	5,086	98,340 00
" " " 1897	......	......	98,340 00
" " " 1898	......	......	98,340 00
Totals	249,644	48,421	$775,544 52

Table showing the number appointed from July 16th, 1883, to November 18th, 1895, under Civil Service Rules, in the departmental service, of which number less than 3,500 are now in office; 41,110 persons having been subjected to examinations:

DEPARTMENT.	Appointed.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
State	20	....	20
Treasury	685	973	1,658
War	917	29	946
Navy	123	10	133
Postoffice	308	84	392
Interior	1,284	336	1,620
Justice	29	2	31
Agriculture	117	32	149
Labor	32	....	32
Fish Commission	18	....	18
Civil Service Commission	27	....	27
State, War and Navy Building	1	....	1
Totals	3,561	1,466	5 027

I submit that the foregoing figures will convince the voters of the United States of the utter worthlessness of the present Civil Service System of our Government. We are all aware that plain, unvarnished figures are pretty dry reading, but they do not lie, and I sincerely hope that the voters of this country will remember their little lesson on election day.

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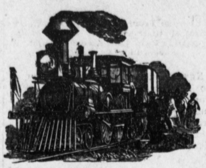

$5 05 to Indianapolis and Return.

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